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 - Descriptive Title of the Invention
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 - Reference to Microfiche Appendix
 - Background of the Invention
 - Brief Summary of the Invention
 - Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
 - Detailed Description
 - Claims
 - Abstract of the Disclosure
3. Drawings(s) (35 USC 113) (Total Sheets 24)
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 - a. Newly Executed (Original or Copy)
 - b. Copy from a Prior Application (37 CFR 1.63(d))
(for Continuation/Divisional with Box 17 completed) (Note Box 5 below)
 - i. **DELETIONS OF INVENTOR(S)** Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).
5. Incorporation By Reference (useable if Box 4b is checked)
The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied under Box 4b, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.
6. Microfiche Computer Program (Appendix)
7. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission
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 - a. Computer Readable Copy
 - b. Paper Copy (identical to computer copy)
 - c. Statement verifying identity of above copies

ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

8. Assignment Papers (cover sheet & documents(s))
9. a. 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement (where there is an assignee)
 b. Power of Attorney

10. English Translation Document (if applicable)

11. a. Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449
 b. Copies of IDS Citations

12. Preliminary Amendment

13. Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503) (Should be specifically itemized)

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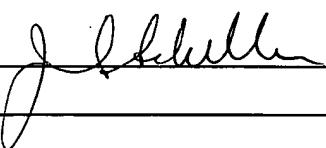
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Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
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106	310	206	155	Design application filing fee	_____
107	480	207	240	Plant filing fee	_____
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SUBTOTAL (1) \$ 760.002. CLAIMS

Total Claims	-	Extra	Fee from below	Fee Paid
73	- 20	= 53	X 18	= 954.00
Independent Claims 4	- 3	= 1	X 78	= 78.00
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102	78	202	39	Independent claims in excess of 3	<u>78.</u>
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115	110	215	55
116	380	216	190
117	870	217	435
118	1,360	218	680
128	1,850	228	925
119	300	219	150
120	300	220	150
121	260	221	130
138	1,510	138	1,510
140	110	240	55
141	1,210	241	605
142	1,210	242	605
143	430	243	215
144	580	244	290
122	130	122	130
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